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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

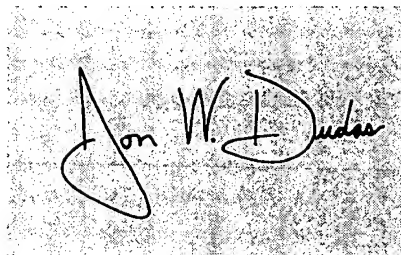
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Item [57], **ABSTRACT**,

Lines 1-3, should read -- Method and apparatus for controlling a DC-DC converter can change the switching frequency of the switching devices and the on-off ratio of the switching devices. --.

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